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250 A.S.T.P.  
Trainees on Campus  
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## 250 Armoraiders In UD A.S.T.P.

Classes began on August 9 for 250 men of the regular army assigned to the University of Dayton in the Army Specialized Training Program (ASTP). The men are taking basic engineering work including chemistry, physics, mathematics, geography, history and English. Their course will cover 38 weeks. Each week is divided into 24 hours of class work, 24 hours of study, six hours of physical training and five hours of military training.

The men are barracked in Alumni hall; they take their meals in the off-campus clubroom in Chaminade hall which has been remodeled into a cafeteria. Classes are held in the regular university classrooms with a faculty chosen from the regular university staff.

Col. John D. Townsend is commandant of the unit; Lt. Roy G. Shubert is company commander; Father Florian Enders is chaplain and Father Henry Kobe is co-ordinator of faculty and curriculum. Harry and Frank Baujan are in charge of physical training.

The trainees are primarily from the Armored Forces, known familiarly as the "Armoraiders". Their numbers are drawn from 38 states, the District of Columbia, and one foreign country.

## Col. J. D. Townsend New Commandant

Col. John D. Townsend has succeeded Col. James G. McIlroy as military commandant of the university effective October 1.

Col. Townsend, a veteran of World War I and with a service background of 27 years, recently served in the South Pacific. A national guardsman, he organized the Pennsylvania reserves and later (See COL. TOWNSEND—Page 3)

### ● Missing in Action ●

#### HOWARD L. DICKSON

Lt. Howard L. Dickson, U.S.A.A.F., was reported "missing in action" by the War Department on August 26. A member of the class of 1935, Lt. Dickson, a Daytonian, was an intelligence officer in the European theater of the war.

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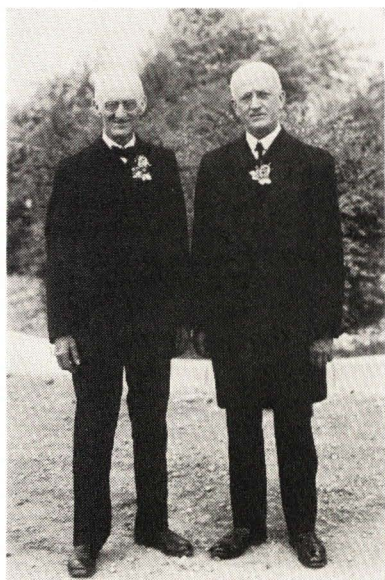
## STUDENT BODY NUMBERS 1040

Registration in the full time day school numbers 390, of which 130 are women. Night school registration is 400. These civilian students, together with 250 army trainees make for a total school population of 1040.

Classes began September 2 under the continued accelerated plan. The senior class, which would have graduated in June, 1944, under normal conditions, will graduate December 19, 1943. This will mark the first time in its history that the university granted degrees at three separate commencements in one calendar year. The class of 1943 graduated April 18; summer school grads received their degrees July 31.

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### Marianist 70 Years



Bro. William—Bro. George

The 70th anniversary of profession of vows in the Society of Mary by Bro. William Ley was tragically saddened by the death of his brother, Bro. George Ley.

Bro. George, for many years principal of the old preparatory school, was 81. He died September 29. He had been a member of the Society of Mary for 65 years, having celebrated his Golden Jubilee in 1928. He taught at the university a total of 13 years and lived in retirement on the campus during his reclining years.

## Hilltop Happenings

**FACULTY FOLLOW-UPS**—Father John A. Elbert, S.M., represented the University of Dayton at a civic banquet in St. Louis in honor of Jimmy Conzelman July 15. The dinner was given by the city as a welcome to Conzelman now "assistant to the president" of the St. Louis Browns baseball team. Brother William Dapper, treasurer, and Brother Peter Schlitt, formerly at U.D. now in San Antonio, were reunited after many years of separation in the observance of their golden jubilee in the Society of Mary July 16. Brother Matthias Laas, dean of the engineering college, gave the principal address at the U.D. summer-school commencement July 31. Father Edwin Leimkuhler, now chaplain of Chaminade high school, Dayton, gave the annual student retreat Oct. 4-6.

**CLUB NOTES**—The annual dean of science award given to the Mathematics club member who gives the best talk of the current year was presented to Allan Braun. Jack Homan, '43, addressed the club at its final summer meeting. Recent speakers at the Sigma Delta Pi pre-med society meetings include Drs. Harry Nieman, Clarence Somsel and Jerome Hartman. The newly organized Polyglot foreign language students club sponsors weekly War Bond rallies in the quadrangle. The Cabos sponsored a student skating party Sept. 29. An all-girl cast was featured in the Thespians production of the mystery drama "Nine Girls," Oct. 17. Jeannette Hibbert gave an outstanding performance. The sophomore co-eds were hostesses at a welcome tea in honor of the freshman girls Sept. 19. The annual welcome dance was held at the Miami hotel Oct. 16. It looked like a military ball with the U.D. Army unit attending in force. The Original McNamara's band appearing at the Miami hotel presented an hour of entertainment of songs and music for the Army specialized training unit Oct. 26.

**ON THE ACADEMIC SIDE**—The end of the civilian pilot training program at the university was announced July 28. Two students from Guatemala have enrolled in freshmen engineering classes. Russian and Italian have been added to the modern language curriculum. Jerry Goldkamp is the editor of Bro. Tom Price's "Exponent". George Igel, Jr., heads Bro. George Kohles' U.D. News staff.

**ON THE CAMPUS**—First official duty of the new Commandant, Col. John D. Townsend, was the presentation of the silver star medal to the father of Corp. Charles Ashcraft, who was killed in action in New Guinea. After the presentation, the A.S.T.U. and ROTC companies passed in review. "Action Overhead," the air-raid demonstration production sponsored by the office of civilian defense, was given in the stadium Aug. 17. The annual Holy Name rally was held Oct. 10.

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Bro. William is 86. After having taught in various Marianist schools for 53 years he became associated with the university book store where he is still active and a popular campus figure. His spare time is devoted to his hobby of making rosaries and chaplets. During the past six years he has made more than 1500 rosaries and over 2000 chaplets.

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Bro. William's 70th anniversary was solemnized with chapel ceremonies on October 23 at which time he received the Apostolic Benediction of the Holy Father, transmitted through the Most Rev. A. G. Ciccognanni, Apostolic Delegate to the United States.

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### COL. TOWNSEND

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served with the army in Puerto Rico. Following this he was with the R.O.T.C. training program for five years in 13 Detroit public high schools.

Col. McIlroy is retiring from active military life. He had been P.M.S. and T. at the university since April, 1942.

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### FIRST GENERAL!

To Brig. Gen. Joseph O. Donovan '17, goes the honor of being Dayton's first general. Formerly California state director of the Selective Service system with headquarters at Sacramento, Gen. Donovan now resides at 11537 Otsego, North Hollywood, Calif.



# "Pro Deo Et Patria"—OUR WAR HEROES



## BOMBARDIER BACK

Lt. Don J. Malloy '39, Army Air Force bombardier, and veteran of 50 combat missions in the European theater, addressed the study body, October 13, at one of the weekly bond rallies on the campus, conducted by Prof. Charles Brennan of the Classical Languages department.

Lt. Malloy wears the air medal with two silver and one bronze oak leaf clusters signifying 50 combat missions; the Purple Heart for injuries received in action; the North African campaign with three stars signifying action in North Africa, Sicily and Italy; and the North Atlantic Patrol ribbon.

Relieved of combat duty by right



of 50 combat missions and 250 combat hours, Lt. Malloy was returned to this country where he will act as bombardier instructor following assignment from Miami Beach, Fla.

The famous Patterson Field "Marching Band" also participated in the rally.

## TWICE DECORATED

Capt. Thomas W. Hoban '35, was recently awarded the Distinguished Service Cross by Lt. General George S. Patton, Jr., for "extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy." The action took place in Tunisia on December 29, 1942. General Patton said, "the leadership, aggressiveness and bravery of Captain Hoban reflect the highest traditions of the armed forces."

Previously Capt. Hoban had received the Purple Heart for being wounded in that engagement.

## BOMBER PILOT

Capt. M. W. Glossinger '40, Dayton, home after 14 months of active service as bomber pilot in the South Pacific, will shortly report to Tampa, Fla., for assignment to a new bomber crew and new duties.

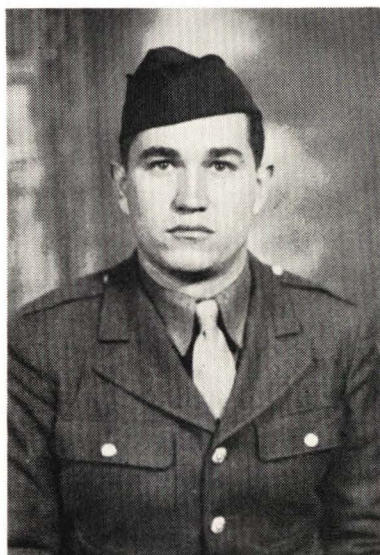
Capt. Glossinger, an electrical engineering grad, piloted both B-25s and B-26s and participated in 30 raids over Jap-held territory. He has been with the Army Air Forces since February, 1941, and won his wings at Barksdale Field, Miss.

## . . . THE LAST FULL MEASURE OF DEVOTION . . .



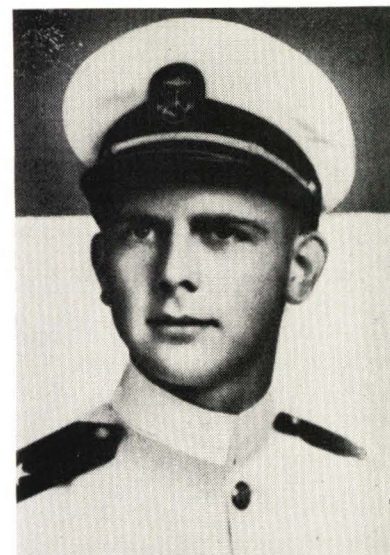
### JOSEPH FEJES

Lt. Joseph Fejes, U.S.A.A.F., was killed in an airplane accident in Watertown, S. D. A Toledoan, Lt. Fejes would have graduated in 1944. He was a navigator, attached to the Government Army Air Base at Watertown. His age was 23.



### THURMAN L. WEBB

Corp. Thurman L. Webb, U. S. Army, died at Camp Davis, N. C., on June 5. Death was occasioned by sunstroke. Corporal Webb was in O. C. S. at the time of his death. A native of Cookeville, Tenn., he was in the class of 1943.



### VIRGIL DAVID ROLAND

Ens. Virgil David Roland, Dayton, was killed in an airplane crash at Alameda, Calif., October 10. He had been commissioned ensign following graduation from Corpus Christi (Texas) naval air training school. His class was 1941.



## FATHER FRIEDEL MADE TRINITY PRESIDENT

### Father Henry Kobe Becomes New Arts And Sciences Dean

A move placing Father Francis J. Friedel at the presidency of Trinity College, Sioux City, Iowa, to be replaced as dean of the College of Arts and Sciences by Father Henry Kobe, former assistant, headlined faculty changes for the current academic year.

Father Friedel, a member of the university faculty since 1927 and dean since 1938, replaces Father Edwin Leimkuhler. Father Kobe's position as assistant dean has been assumed by Father Charles Collins.

### Two Return

Father Charles Preisinger and Bro. Michael Grandy have returned to the faculty after extended absences into other teaching fields. Brother Ed Dury has been appointed to the biology department replacing Brother Russell Joly who takes a new post at Pittsburgh Northside Catholic high. Brother Anthony Bishop has been transferred from the physics department to Cathedral Latin high in Cleveland. Brother Aloys Doyle is in charge of physical ed for civilians. Brother Arnold Klug, prefect of Nazareth hall, has been moved to St. John's home in Brooklyn. Brother Walter Baumeister has been assigned the post of assistant engineer on the campus.

### Lay Faculty

Newcomers to the lay faculty include Mrs. H. Troy Sears, instructor in physical and health education and music. She came to the university following a year as director of education at the Dayton Christ Episcopal church.

James M. Manfredini has replaced Father John Williams, C.S.V., in the department of political science. He comes from the University of Houston (Texas). Lee O. Lantis has been appointed instructor of history. His previous assignment was at North Dakota State teachers' college, Minot, N. D.

## Reis Brothers In Service

Dear Jim:

For some time I have been wanting to write and tell you how much I enjoy my copy of the *Alumnus*. I am in Foreign Service and my location is secret. However, we do get mail so I can keep track of my friends through your issue.

My duties in the Squadron are many; some of these being Fighter Pilot, Test Pilot, and ass't. Engineering Officer. Since I am also a flight leader I am kept rather busy.

My brother, John P. Reis '38, is now a staff sergeant in North Africa. You can add his name to the list of U.D. men in service.

Enclosed please find a check for \$4.00, which is to pay my membership and subscription for this year. Please continue to send the *Alumnus* to my home address, as we are changed quite frequently and this would necessitate a change in your mailing address.

Sincerely yours,  
Paul J. Reis '41  
1st Lt. A.C.

## FOOTBALL OUT FOR DURATION

For the first time since the sand-lot days of the 'nineties a University of Dayton football team does not exist!

Despite the inroads of the war—transportation, schedule-making and manpower shortage difficulties, Coach Harry Baujan had planned right to the bitter end to field a team in '43 but such was not to be. The final blow fell when, with all but one of his top flight ball club of 1942 called to the service, the announcement came from the War Department that ASTP trainees would not be permitted to engage in intercollegiate athletics. The 1943 schedule was immediately cancelled and U.D. forced to join the ever increasing ranks of the "closed for the duration" football programs.

Coaches Harry and Frank Baujan were assigned the job of conditioning the trainees physically. Coach Jim Carter had previously left the staff to take a recreational director

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## CO-EDS FORM CANTEEN FOR TRAINEES



CO-EDS AT THE UNIVERSITY ORGANIZED a "co-ed canteen" for the entertainment of the A.S.T.P. trainees at the school. Entertainment and refreshments are provided the boys once each week in a "juke box Saturday night" at the Loretto. In the accompanying photo are Pvts. Bud Ruggles, Brookfield, Mass.; Bill Petersen, Minneapolis, Minn.; George Groft, Steubenville; Emma Jean Hoke, Osborn; Dorothy Lee Raney and Marty Lehman, Dayton.



## DEATH TAKES TWO PROMINENT CHEMISTRY GRADUATES

Sorrow struck the ranks of the alumni association twice within a few days when two of our most loyal members, both outstanding chemical engineering graduates, met untimely deaths.

William H. Carmody '27, Springfield, died October 1 from burns sustained the day before when a high pressure reaction vessel in his laboratory exploded. President of the Carmody Research Laboratories, Mr. Carmody had attained national stature in the field through his work in hydrocarbon plastics. He had been a research chemist for Buick Motor Car Company and later a research chemist with Thomas & Hochwalt laboratories in Dayton.

He helped organize the Springfield alumni chapter and served as president.

Emil H. Kessler, H.S. '16; B.Ch. E. '20; M.S. '28; Doctor of Science '36, native Daytonian, dropped dead of a heart attack in the office of a local physician, October 12.

Dr. Kessler had been for more than 15 years a member of the staff of the Thresher Varnish Company, Dayton, and at the time of his death he was Technical Director. For years, Dr. Kessler had been a loyal and influential member of the alumni association.

## FOOTBALL

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post with the Du Pont company in Pasco, Washington.

But the stadium did not become a weed patch. It is getting as much or more use than at any time in its 18-year history. Local high schools and the Patterson Field team are using it on the average of three times a week. In addition, the civilian defense corps uses it and recently the annual Holy Name rally was held within its spacious confines.

Daytonians are now content to read of the grid exploits of those lads, now gone to other training institutions, who would have worn the Red and Blue this year. Penn State's Nittany Lions are surprising the effete East this fall. They don't surprise Dayton followers who knew all along that when our Marine contingent arrived there the Lion football stock would rise. Jack Castignola is the backfield star and Bill (We called him "Bo") Powers is the line standout. Other backs getting plenty of service and corresponding acclaim are Bill La Fleur, Harold Mouch, Milt McGuire and Dante Terzi. Linemen going great guns for the Lions are, in addition to Powers, Larry Davis, Joe Zoul and Joe Accrocco.

Out on the West Coast where the grid minions are thoroughly provincialized, Lou Priske has completely "taken over" in the backfield of the powerful St. Mary's pre-flight team. In addition, Priske made a "one

man show" of a recent Coast track and field meet. Niall Scully is regular end with Miami and performing in fine style. Other Daytonians in scattered locations are also living up to high Flyer tradition.

## FOSTER NEW ALUMNI PROJECT

A new alumni project, being sponsored under the personal direction of Rev. John A. Elbert, S.M., president, has for its ultimate objective the compiling of names of every person who ever attended the university since its foundation in 1850.

Four co-eds, Mary Ann Finke, Ada Kay Bomford, Jean Wright and Harriet Wetja, have volunteered to begin the compilation. Their research efforts are directing them into old year books, Exponents, ancient ledgers and musty student files in the library vault. The enormity of the project can best be understood by a consideration that the university's existence dates back 93 years; that students included: grammar school, preparatory school, college, seminarians, graduate students, specials and that the records cover three different name changes, St. Mary's Institute, St. Mary's College, and the University of Dayton.

An attempt will be made to place as many as possible of the newly

## 1943 CO-EDS HOLD REUNION

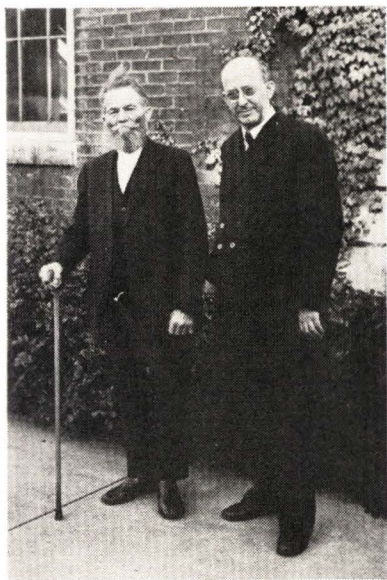


**CO-EDS OF THE CLASS OF '43 HELD THEIR FIRST REUNION** at the home of Betty Mayl July 18. Present were, l. to r., Buena Greer, Jean Gura, Dorothy Collins Brown, Madeline Georgiev, Betty Mayl, Polly Mack, Kay Hayes, Mary Rose Sullivan, Pat Tempest, Ethel Cochran Archer and Amy Luthman. Maria Economides took the picture. Kay Day and Dorothy Hummert attended the reunion but are not in the picture. Absentees were Martha Horsch, Martha Bucher and Muriel Musser.



discovered former students on the active alumni rolls. The present tentative plan is to include the complete roster in a special Centennial book on the occasion of the university's 100th anniversary in 1950.

## OLDEST ALUMNUS?



Mr. Maeder—Bro. Hofmann

In the June *Alumnus* we stuck our editorial neck out and bestowed the honor, "oldest living alumnus" on Mr. J. E. Hamburger, 89, of Celina, Ohio, who attended S.M.I. in 1874.

Since then, two anonymous correspondents have taken up the issue with your editors. The first writes as follows: "I wish to mention another old timer, also from Mercer county, Mr. Joseph Maeder, St. Henry, Ohio, who attended S.M.I. in 1872. He is 92 years of age and quite active. He walks to church, a distance of a mile and a half, every morning, rain or shine." (ED NOTE: The above photo of Mr. Maeder with Bro. Adam Hofmann was taken in 1940 on the occasion of a visit to the campus by Mr. Maeder.)

Correspondent number two tells us that Mr. Will I. Ohmer, a retired Dayton manufacturer, "is the oldest in point of attendance but not in age. Mr. Ohmer attended in 1870. He is still active at 87 and resides in Oakwood. Let's find out who is the oldest if we can and let's make U.D. a bigger and better university."

Far from being chastened by the above rebuttals we climb right out on the old limb again with these two

## CLASS NOTES

**1902**—Information from Joe Leonard tells us of the death of Clarence H. Kramer. The faculty and alumni of the university extend their sympathy to the Kramer family.

**1908**—Lt. Col. William P. O'Connor spent several days with his brother Lt. (j.g.) F. J. O'Connor after meeting unexpectedly overseas. Lt. O'Connor is a graduate of 1930.

**1915**—Sympathy is also extended to the family of Emmett E. Leo. Mr. Leo died of a heart attack Sept. 28.

**1916**—James F. Dwyer, father of James Jr. of '16, Edward, '26, Rev. Barry, '32, and Kevin, '34, died Sept. 28.

**1922**—Lt. R. A. Pauly is in the armed forces somewhere in the Pacific war theater.

**1924**—(Ex) Faculty and alumni extend sympathy to the family of Henry J. Eilerman who died July 8.

**1925**—George Kramer's eight-year-old son, William, died Oct. 4.

**1926**—Herb Eikenbary, honorably discharged from the Navy, is once more practising law in Dayton. Lt. J. Carl Leininger is now in Ft. Riley, Kans.

**1927**—Lt. Col. Thomas Kirk is serving in the South Pacific.

**1928**—Richard P. Clemens has been promoted to Captain.

**1929**—Pvt. Harry Gitzinger is with the Marine Corps at Parris Island, S. C.

**1930**—CPO William Hamilton has returned from the South Pacific and has been honorably discharged from the Navy. Francis Gabel is now "Major." Dr. Deane Clemens Hartman was married June 19 to the former Nina Kathleen Walsh of New York. Lt. Vincent J. Castrop is at the Medical Field Service school in Carlisle Barracks, Pa. Capt. William R. Althoff is in the medical corps in Africa. (Ex) L. R. Gross is in naval training at Great Lakes, Ill.

**1931**—Dr. John A. Reiling has been commissioned a First Lieu-

new champions. Let's offer the honor, "oldest living alumnus" to Mr. Maeder for his age of 92. Mr. Ohmer would have the honor of being the "earliest attendant"—1870.

Can anyone top these?

tenant in the army dental corps. Lt. Tyrone Power ex '31, was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps. He was in the same class with Bill Knisley, '43. Chaplain Richard Connelly is serving in North Africa. We wish to extend our sympathy to Tom and John Medley on the death of their mother. Sgt. Thomas J. Dempsey is with the 802nd F. A. Bn. at Camp Rucker, Alabama.

**1932**—Lt. Robert E. Keane is commanding officer of a repair squadron at the Air Service Command depot at Tinker Field, Okla. Dr. Richard C. Miller has been promoted to Captain. He is in Florida.

**1933**—Melvin Huden is stationed with the O.W.I. in London, England. Nelson Decker is now a Lt. Col. in England.

**1934**—Lt. Joseph P. Keegan has graduated from O.C.S. in the engineer corps. Sympathy is extended to Major and Mrs. Louis Tschudi on the death of Mrs. Tschudi's father, Mr. C. J. Reams, Sept. 12. Ensign Jack L. Foote is stationed at Norfolk, Va.

**1935**—Ensign Thomas Haacke, Jr., is at Fort Schuyler, N. Y. Major Charles F. Dugan was a campus visitor Oct. 18. He has been on duty at various combat stations in the Pacific. He was on duty at Hickam Field, Hawaii, Dec. 7, 1941. Louis Wilks was a campus visitor July 21. Dr. Leo Hoersting is now associated with the Early Clinic and hospital in Dayton. Lt. (s.g.) Thomas Tucker has been on a destroyer and seen action in North Africa. John A. Fisher is connected with Vickers, Inc., Detroit. Capt. James Connelly has been transferred to Camp Gordon Johnston, Fla.

**1936**—Dr. Thomas A. Moorman has been promoted to Captain in the Army medical corps. Major Dan O'Keefe has been appointed senior classification officer in the STAR unit at Camp Roberts, Calif. Major Ralph Conners is an engineer officer of a service group and met Don and Verne Malloy in Africa.

**1937**—Capt. Herbert Greuter, returned from Panama, was a campus visitor Aug. 13. Lt. John W. Foltz has been transferred to Alexandria, La.

**1938**—Capt. Robert Schneble was a campus visitor Aug. 16. Kenneth J. McKale is now a Major.

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# Class Notes

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Capt. Webster C. Smyers is a prisoner of the Japanese in the Philippines. Jack Wirtz, now a First Lieutenant, is at Scott Field. S/Sgt. John P. Reis is in North Africa. William J. Sachs became the father of a baby boy, William Hamilton, July 6. Ensign R. Eugene May is now the father of "Gene Shannon", born in April. Capt. George Early, with troops on Mojave desert, Camp Horn, Ariz., was a campus visitor October 25.

**1939**—Brendan J. Reilly has been promoted to Major. He is overseas. John S. Zarka has returned to Dayton with the law firm of Estabrook, Finn, and McKee. Lt. John Newsock was a campus visitor Oct. 26. We extend our sympathy to John Torpey whose father died June 12. S/Sgt. James Martin was a campus visitor July 20. Major Henry J. Spatz is with the Quartermaster Battalion in Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Thomas P. Ryan has been promoted to Captain. He is in England. First Lieutenant Bernard Hollenkamp is completing a course in combat flying at Alexandria, La. He is a pilot of a Flying Fortress. Mary Helldoerfer writes that Lt. (s.g.) Charles S. Helldoerfer '33 has become the father of a daughter, born July 26, and is now stationed in Washington, D. C. Lt. (s.g.) Wm. Kelly is in Boca Chica, Fla., and is now the father of a baby girl, "Mary Kay".

**1940**—Dick Fletcher was a campus visitor Oct. 18; Lt. Carl Costell July 16. The engagement of Agnes Drew to Lt. Joseph Dunn '42 was announced. Miss Drew is teaching at Webster school and Lt. Dunn is stationed at Lowry Field, Colo. The wedding of Lt. (j.g.) Leo Fitzharris and Mary Borchers '42 took place Aug. 14. Capt. Jack Padley is at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif. Joe Stoecklein is now a Lieutenant in the Army air corps. Jack Curley is a Captain in the Marines somewhere overseas. Lt. Christopher S. Barrett is flying with General Chenault in China. John Gibbons is in training with the Navy at Great Lakes, Ill.

**1941**—William Flanagan is now a Captain; Hugh M. Smith a Second Lieutenant. Lt. Paul Reis is with a fighter squadron. The engagement of Betty Myers to Lt. George Yocis has been announced. Joe Paluzzi has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant and is at Fort Benning with Joe Thomas, who is

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coaching the Benning team. Lena Adams has enlisted in the WAC. Capt. Vincent Poeppelmeier was married to Ann Donovan of Houlton, Maine, Aug. 7. He is post engineer at Westover Field, Mass. Corp. Norman Englert is serving overseas with the Army Air Forces as a radio operator. Mark Litteken was married to Dolores Rakers Oct. 2, in St. Louis, Mo. Jack Kirchmer was a campus visitor Sept. 13. S/Sgt. George Kershner is a radio operator somewhere in New Guinea and has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, an Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Air Medal. The marriage of Margaret Jergens to Pfc. Ellsworth Watson took place Oct. 2. Capt. William MacDonald was a campus visitor Oct. 12. Blanche Davis is at Highland hospital, Rochester, N. Y. Clarke Kirby is now a Lieutenant (s.g.) and commander of a sub chaser operating with the Atlantic fleet. Max Wool and John Chalmers were campus visitors during October. Joe Shimanek has joined the Marine corps. "Hank" Scharf has been promoted to Captain. "Woody" Dryden is at Cornell as an Ensign. Bill Kinney has returned to this country and is in Marietta, Ga. Ens. F. M. Schnurr and Lt. Al Hoegler are stationed near one another somewhere in the Pacific war theater.

**1942**—Lt. Eugene Linsker was a recent campus visitor and is located at Las Vegas, Nevada. Robert P. Garwood has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army ordnance division. Lt. and Mrs. Bernard L. Keiter are the parents of a daughter, Karen Lou, born Sept. 14. Lt. and Mrs. James P. Fiorita announce the birth of a son, James Peter, Jr., July 22. Mary Anne Hoyt, working at the Dayton Press, received her pilot's license Aug. 20. She is continuing her training for a commercial pilot's license. Lt. Bob Greene received his silver wings July 29. S/Sgt. Robert Brinkman and Jean Gougarty were married Sept. 11. Bob is stationed at Wright Field. Robert Butler has been promoted to Captain. Pvt. Jack Schuler is in Miami Beach, Fla. Lt. Gilbert McEwan was a campus visitor Oct. 13, having just returned from Alaska. Lt. Gene Stalzer is flying B-17's at Hendricks Field, Sebring, Fla. The marriage of Herbert C. Morris and Marian Danforth at Beacon, N. Y.,

was announced July 25. Ensign John Boland is in Pasadena, Calif., at the California Institute of Technology. Lt. Richard Hirt is in England and has met Lt. Walter Woeste in London several times. Lt. Hank Rechten is at M.I.T. Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Donald High (Sue Martin), on the death of her mother Sept. 23. Phyllis Niswonger became Mrs. Robert Fachler July 4.

**1943**—Weddings include Dorothy Collins to Lt. Robert Brown; Audrey Frederick to Paul Kispersky; Jane Madden to Lt. Charles Branin; Caroline Kastl to Lt. Ed Veltin; Emma Stevens to Ens. Paul Engle; Evelyn Herman to Ens. Marc Dunnam; John Marshall to Dorothy Clayton; Betty Hempelman to Lloyd Rensel; Ethel Cochran to Jim Archer; Jane Seitz to Lt. Jim Fenton; Lt. Dick Strugarek and Don Rist are also among recent bridegrooms. Lt. Chuck Rains is the proud father of a baby girl. The engagement of Viola Bollheimer to S/Sgt. Joe Roland, USMC, was announced Aug. 26. Joe has been awarded the Purple Heart after suffering wounds while serving on Guadalcanal. Martha Horsch has received a fellowship in chemistry from the University of Southern California. Roman Wiggenhorn is at Seymour Johnson Field, N. C. Now sporting Second Lieutenant bars are Lts. Fred Wells, Jack Murphy, Ellsworth Foland, Jack Stang, Paul Herking, Bill Stoermer, John Hoban, Ed Schlei, Al Bagot, Bob Zimmerman, Frank Doorley, Jerry Westendorf, Dick Loges, Lou Thacker, Matt Glaser, Marvin DeWitt, Walter Reichard, Eugene Rotterman, Robert Schmidt, Robert Uehbing, Jack Kussman, Ed Schaeffer, Ed Veltin, Ed Henz, Charles Lause, and in the Marines Lt. Brooks Carson, Dick Strugarek, Bob Miller, and Bill Knisley. In the Navy are Ensigns Wayne Stamm, Joe Jacobs, Paul Engle, Marc Dunnam, Paul Schauer, and Ed Becker. Jesse Evans was a campus visitor Sept. 24, prior to embarkation. Harry Raybould, John Wroe and Bob Schweller are at Yale. Norm Woolley is with Curtiss-Wright Corp., in Indianapolis. Jack Homan is working in New York. Joe Overwein, Maria Economides and Amy Luthman are all working in different departments at the Inland Mfg.